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In re Application Of:	)	Confirmation No.: 5249
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Lyubov RYABOVA, et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 1652
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Int'l Application No.: PCT/IB2003/003936	)	
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Int'l Filing Date: July 25, 2003	)	
For:		
		METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR <i>IN VITRO</i>
		SYNTHESIS OF BIOLOGICAL MACROMOLECULES IN A
		CELL-FREE SYSTEM ENRICHED WITH ATP-
		SULFURYLASE

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

Applicants provide the following amendment and remarks in response to the Final Office Action mailed October 16, 2007 (hereinafter "Office Action"), in the above-captioned application. This response is being submitted within the shortened statutory period for reply; therefore, it is believed that no fees are due in connection with this Amendment.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.